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FIFTY YEARS

Brother Boniface Will Celebrate
His Golden Jubilee in
Louisville.

Entered Xaverian Order When
But Thirteen Years of
Age.

Among His Pupils Were the
Rev. Fathers Thome and
Schumann.

HAS MANY RELATIVES HERE

The vow of voluntary poverty, perpetual chastity and entire obedience does not produce a man who delights in reading his own praises. This conquering of the spirit of the flesh secures instead a man divested of the dross of life—a hero in whose soul there neither lodges nor lurks any sense nor thought of envy or jealousy. And such a man as the Rev. Brother Boniface, of the Xaverian Brothers, teacher and musician, who will come to Louisville from Worcester, Mass., to celebrate his golden jubilee at St. Vincent de Paul's church on Sunday, August 23, Brother Boniface, who had as pupils the Rev. Father Thome and the Rev. Father George Schumann, D. D., has many friends in Louisville who are making preparations for an elaborate observance of the rare occasion, and it is possible that all officiating at the anniversary mass will be former pupils of the jubilarian, whose preference would be to be allowed to go on unobscured in his loyal work of the Master with whom he has engaged himself.

Brother Boniface entered the order of the Xaverian Brothers in Louisville on August 23, 1864, when but thirteen years of age. He has since that time been actively engaged in the work of teaching and preparation for success in pedagogy, the noblest of sciences. Louisville, Baltimore and Worcester, Mass., have been the principal places where this good brother has had opportunity to display his special qualifications, and everywhere he has been most successful in the exploitation of his particular possessions. Himself, product of the Xaverian system, the application of that system to his wards has been made with zeal and affection. Hence in part his unmistakable triumphs with his pupils, many of whom have been raised to God's altar. His work has ever been of a marked character, and the growth of the college or school in which he may be engaged gives evidence of the appreciated usefulness of his methods.

The heavenly graces conferred by the Lord upon Brother Boniface have enabled him to continue for fifty years in the labor of educating the heart and conscience as well as the mind of the youth of the land, thus securing to the country the needful crops of good Christians and good citizens. He bears lightly the yoke of the Lord, to which he bowed so lovingly in his youth, and has every prospect of being a laborer in his vineyard for many years to come.

August 23, 1859, Brother Boniface observed in Baltimore the completion of twenty-five years as a Xaverian. St. Patrick's parish, of the schools of which Brother Boniface was director, was in jubilation. At the dinner given in honor of the jubilarian the guests included Superior General Vincent, of Bruges, Belgium; Brother Peter, Provincial of England; Brother Alexius, Provincial of the American Province and President of St. Joseph's College; Rev. John T. Galtley, pastor of St. Patrick's church; Rev. John P. Hagan, pastor of St. Laurence's church; Rev. Thomas D. Leonard and Rev. Edward Henchy.

The Columbia centenary celebration was honored by the raising of the United States flag by the children of St. Patrick's schools, Brother Boniface arranging for the occasion a programme of beautiful music. At the golden jubilee of the venerable Brother Stanislaus in St. Joseph's College, Brother Boniface was a collaborator with Brother Isidore in the production of the "Jubilium," the former writing the music for the latter's literary composition.

Brother Boniface, in addition to his daily labor of training the youth in the way he should walk, is a successful musician, with all knowledge of the theory and practice of music. He makes "the organ speak" the praises of the great Jehovah, and is a prolific composer of church music—tuneful, harmonious, reverent. The newspapers have spoken warmly of his efforts, and many of our most distinguished churchmen have congratulated him highly.

FRANCISCAN PROVINCIAL.

The quadrennial convention of the Franciscan Order of Minor Conventuals held in the Franciscan Convent in Rensselaer, N. Y., last week was presided over by the Most Rev. Dominio Tavani, of Rome, Italy, Vicar General of the order. The Very Rev. Leo Greulich, who makes his residence at St. Francis' Convent in Syracuse, was unanimously elected Minister Provincial of the order in the United States. Father Leo has been Provincial since the death of Very Rev. Louis Miller, first as an ad interim appointment, then by election four years ago. The of-

fice is the highest in the order in this country, and has jurisdiction over all the institutions conducted by the Franciscans of the Order of Minor Conventuals in the United States and possessions. Father Greulich spent many years in Louisville, being the pastor of St. Anthony's church when he received his first appointment.

BISHOP LAYS CORNERSTONE.

The cornerstone of the new St. Elizabeth church, located at Burnett Elizabeth and Hoertz street, was solemnly laid last Sunday afternoon by Right Rev. Denis O'Donoghue, Bishop of Louisville, assisted by the Rev. Francis Felten, pastor of St. Augustine's church, and the Rev. Patrick M. Monaghan and about thirty priests. A crowd began to form around the foundation walls as early as 3 o'clock, eager to be on hand and have a viewpoint when the impressive ceremonies began. The Knights of St. John and the Catholic Knights of America, in their military dress uniforms, acted as guard of honor to the Bishop, the officiating dignitaries and the thirty or more priests, leading the procession from the parochial residence to the church foundation, where there was assembled the largest gathering ever seen on a similar occasion in the Louisville diocese. Upon reaching the site of the new church the Bishop, the cornerstone laying exercises following. In the cornerstone of the new edifice, which will replace the combination school and church building now in use, was deposited a box containing data pertaining to the diocese and congregation and other documents. The sermon was preached by the Rev. Charles P. Ratfo, who spoke eloquently but briefly on the efforts of Father Assent, the pastor, and the efforts that had led to the decision to replace the old edifice, and then discoursed on the faith and mission of the one true church. The work of building the new St. Elizabeth's church will be pushed as rapidly as possible, and when finished Father Assent and his people will have an edifice of which any diocese might justly feel proud.

CLIFF HAVEN.

The week just passed will go down in the annals of the Catholic Summer School as being the most memorable from a religious and social standpoint. The week of the Summer School made the annual pilgrimage to the shrine of St. Ann, Isle la Motte, impressive as this beautiful pilgrimage was and lofty as were the ideals and devotion which it inspired, it was but the prelude of the great and magnificent ceremonies which were to mark the celebration of Lady Day. These ceremonies really began on Wednesday evening, when the Rev. Edwin Ryan, D. D., professor of history in St. Joseph's Seminary, Dunwoodie, preached his first sermon of the triduum in honor of Our Lady. The other sermons were preached on Thursday and Friday evenings. On Saturday morning it is planned to begin the immediate celebration of the Feast of the Assumption in the Chapel of Our Lady of the Lake with masses, which will be said every half hour from sunrise until noon. At 2 o'clock the inspiring religious pageant will be begun, every one of the grounds at Cliff Haven taking part. At the shrine of Our Lady of the Lake benediction will be given and a sermon preached by the Very Rev. John P. Childwick, D. D., Lecturer of the week were Rev. F. P. Donnelly, S. J., and Rev. L. J. O'Hern, C. S. P.

EUCHEME AND LOTTO.

Elaborate preparations have been made for the euceme and lotto party to be held next Wednesday afternoon and evening in the cool and inviting basement of St. Paul's church, Jackson and Kentucky streets. Nothing will be spared to make this the most successful event ever held in St. Paul's parish. It will be held under the auspices of Father Thomas York and the various societies connected with the parish, and two valuable prizes and many handsome awards have been secured for the large crowd that is sure to be in attendance. Take any cross town car and transfer to the Oak street line, which is only a few steps from the new St. Paul's. Many novel features will make the time pass pleasantly for those who attend and thereby contribute a mite to a most deserving cause.

FROM ROME.

An Associated Press dispatch from Rome, via Paris, received here Wednesday, says the Pope is so overwhelmed with grief by the outbreak of war among all the principal nations of Europe that he is unable to do any work and sits listless and silent for hours every day. Although his holiness is not ill, his condition is causing grave anxiety to his attendants.

SILVER JUBILEE.

Sister Mary Henry and Sister Delphine, Sisters of Charity stationed at St. Mary and Elizabeth Hospital, are celebrating their silver jubilee today, being received into the order at Nazareth in August, 1869.

REDMOND'S

Inspired Speech in House of
Commons Has Tremendous
Effect.

Tories Declared Their Hostility
to Home Rule Was Now
Gone.

Bill Will Immediately Become a
Law When House Meets
Again.

IRISH VOLUNTEERS ARE ARMING

The war and Redmond's speech last Monday night finally won for home rule, cabled Hon. T. P. O'Connor to the press of Sunday. With extraordinary courage and presence of mind Redmond saw the psychological moment to place Ireland by the side of the British Empire in the gigantic struggle just beginning, and offered to the Government not merely Ireland's sympathy but a pledge to secure Ireland's shores from the foreign invader by Irish volunteers alone. No speech in modern times has created such immediate and tremendous effect. The House cheered till it was hoarse. Tories as well as Liberals, many with tears in their eyes, rushed to shake Redmond's hand, and the Tories especially declared that their hostility to home rule was now gone. Crowds waiting outside Buckingham Palace and Downing street to hear the declaration of war at midnight on Monday cheered Redmond. His photograph in all the moving picture shows was received with wild cheers. From Ireland came an immediate, universal response, backing Redmond's words, and an astonishing and unprecedented scene was witnessed of volunteers and masses of people accompanying soldiers to stations with cheers as they took their departure for the war. But behind the scenes Redmond was in constant consultation with Asquith and surveyed the situation with his characteristic combination of firmness, vigilance and self-control.

It was revealed to him that Bonar Law and other Tory leaders had joined Carson in a demand that home rule should be held up. Adjournment instead of prorogation made all the difference, and the home rule bill would be put on the statute book immediately or at some distant date. As it turned out these protests, though natural, were unnecessary, for Asquith never contemplated any such betrayal, and on Monday next an announcement is expected that the adjournment is only for two weeks, and that when the House meets again the session will end in prorogation and the home rule bill will immediately become a law.

The Tories will be offered at the same time the choice between discussing the amending bill then or in a new session later. In the meantime the support of the British Empire in the hour of peril is more than justified by a new, unanimous feeling by the men of all races and all parties in the British Empire that this war is one for the defense of the principle of nationality of small States; of emancipating Europe from the grinding and intolerable tyranny of German military autocracy.

The revolt of some extreme radicals which was uttered loudly last Monday has died out and all the nation stands enthusiastically behind the British Government in this great crusade to save France, Belgium and democratic liberty. Nobody has any doubt that though the way may be long Europe will conquer Germany, and already there is a firm resolve as the first fruits of victory to restore Alsace-Lorraine to its people. Winston Churchill, as the man who put the fleet in such splendid condition, divides with Redmond the position of popularity.

The removal of the arms proclamation enables the Irish volunteers to arm more speedily. London takes the whole situation seriously but calmly. The temporary dislocation of finance and business is passing rapidly away and confidence in victory and in justice of England's cause are strong and universal.

TO SELECT ALTERNATES.

At the meeting of Division 4, A. O. H., Monday evening it was decided to select alternates to the State convention at the next meeting, which will be held on Monday, August 24, to be elected, five for the regular officers and one additional for Financial Secretary Thomas J. Langan, who will represent the county at the convention. As announced, the convention will be held at Covington, Monday and Tuesday, September 14 and 15, and President John Hennessy expects that in addition to the delegates several of the division members will attend the convention, the delegation to leave here on Sunday morning. The Visiting Committee reported Patrick Hulan, one of the veteran members of the division, as being on the sick list.

ASHLAND.

Widespread gloom prevailed in Ashland last Saturday when it became known that Miss Margaret O'Kelly, twenty-three years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John O'Kelly, had been called by the Angel of Death. Miss O'Kelly was a life-long and devout member of Holy Family church and in society circles

COMING EVENTS.

August 17 and 18—Holy Cross lawn fete and chicken supper on church grounds, Thirty-second and Broadway.

August 19—Annual festival of Young Men's Social Club, Schneller's Park.

August 25—Picnic on church lawn, benefit of St. Francis of Assisi church.

August 26—Knights of Columbus annual outing at Fern Grove.

August 26—Free picnic by St. Francis of Assisi church on church lawn, Bardonia road.

Thursday, August 27—Annual reunion and picnic of St. Leo's congregation, on grounds adjoining church, Highland Park.

August 30—Catholic Knights' annual excursion to Jasper, Ind.

September 6—Trinity Council annual excursion to Mammoth Cave.

September 10—Euceme and lotto and supper at St. Augustine's Hall, 1308 West Broadway, for benefit of St. Augustine's church.

September 25—Afternoon and night, revival and bazaar for benefit of St. William's church, on parish grounds, Thirtieth and Oak.

was one of the most respected and popular girls in Ashland. She received her primary education in the parochial schools and later graduated with high honors from the Winona Seminary at Winona, Minn. For the bereaved parents all Ashland feels tender sympathy.

RECENT DEATHS.

The death of Michael Clasby, a life-long and devoted member of the Dominican parish, took place at his home, 740 West Oak street, Sunday night. He had a wide circle of friends and relatives who deeply mourn his demise. The funeral took place Wednesday morning from St. Louis Bertrand's church, being largely attended.

The funeral of Marie M. Hellman, the thirteen-year-old daughter of George and Rosella Hellman, 1021 Payne street, was Tuesday morning from St. Martin's church. Her death followed a two months' illness of heart disease. To the parents and brother and sisters of the young girl so early taken to her heavenly home is extended the sympathy of their many friends.

The many friends of Samuel Thomas, 520 West M street, sympathize with him in the death of his estimable wife, Mary O'Connor Thomas. Mrs. Thomas was an ideal woman, ever true to the practice of her holy religion and devoted to the care of her husband and eight children who survive her. Her funeral was held Tuesday morning from Holy Name church, Rev. John O'Connor celebrating the requiem high mass.

Mrs. Kate McLaughlin, thirty-nine years of age and a highly esteemed resident of St. Cecilia's parish, died following a long illness at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. J. Blumkirk, 2649 Hank street. She was the widow of James McLaughlin, and leaves a daughter, two sisters and a brother, Patrick Glenn. Her funeral took place Thursday morning from St. Cecilia's church, attended by many mourning friends and relatives.

Miss Anna M. Cahill, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Cahill, 1201 Everett avenue, was called to her reward Saturday morning, leaving to mourn her loss a wide circle of devoted friends who will greatly miss her pleasant companionship. Her death followed a two days' illness of tonsillitis. Besides her parents she leaves three sisters and three brothers. The funeral services were held at St. Brigid's church Monday morning.

Announcement of the death of Miss Fannie H. Martin at the home of her sister, Mrs. William Rees, 1005 East Kentucky street, was a severe shock to her many friends. Miss Martin had been ill but five days, death being caused by nephritis. Her father, Henry Martin, a fireman, two brothers, Henry Martin, Jr., and George Martin, and two sisters, Mrs. Rees and Mrs. Dine, survive her. The funeral was held Monday morning from Holy Trinity church with high mass for the repose of her soul.

Death sudden and unexpected came to Charles E. Mivelaz, a widely known and respected citizen of Louisville, early Saturday morning. Born in this city forty-three years ago and educated at St. Patrick's school, for more than a quarter of a century he had been identified with his brothers in the American Restaurant. Possessed of a generous heart, he was a liberal contributor to charity without regard to race or creed. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Minnie Cook Mivelaz; two children, Charlotte Mivelaz and Charles E. Mivelaz, Jr.; his mother, Mrs. Augustus Mivelaz, and a brother, Frank Mivelaz. The funeral was held Monday morning from St. Brigid's church, the Rev. Father Raffo being the celebrant of the requiem high mass.

TANGO DEVOTES.

Convincing proof that many are being bitten by the tango craze is borne out in the rumor which floated out from Limerick and is vouched for by reputable eye witnesses. One of the latter, in going through Seventh street late the other evening, hearing some one say "This foot, Hogan," and "Turn around, Kelly and Dolan," peeped in and witnessed John Hogan, Tom Dolan, Jim Reilly, Will Hines, Will Reker and Dick Houlahan going at the tango steps for dear life, the last the observer heard on turning away was "Now you be the lady this time."

BISHOP BUSCH

Pleased Over the Verdict Regarding His Stand on Sunday Labor.

United States Industrial Commission Holds Public Hearings in Lead.

Will Have National Law Making One Day of Rest Obligatory.

HIS VIEWS ARE AGREED WITH

Right Rev. Joseph E. Busch, Bishop of Lead, S. D., passed through Chicago on his way to Pittsburgh. While in Chicago he made the offices of the Catholic Church Extension Society his headquarters. The Bishop expressed his satisfaction over the turn things had taken in the question of the abuses of the Homestake Mining company regarding employment of women on Sunday, and while this wrong is not yet righted, it is on the road to amendment. His Lordship is fighting hard to secure the day of rest for his parishioners who work for this company.

We have just had a hearing from the United States Government, said the Bishop. "The Federation on Industrial Relations held a public hearing in Lead on Monday and Tuesday, and it was established by the evidence of the company's officers that all my contentions were true, and that Sunday closing was not observed, and further, that owing to the absolute control of the situation by the Homestake Mining Company no relief could be obtained as long as they were unable to see the need of Sunday observance. It is my duty to see that my people are able to go to church," continued the Bishop, "and incidentally I am also trying to rid that section of the country of the overwhelming influence of the company both in politics and business. On my way down to Chicago I stopped at St. Paul, where I had the privilege of addressing the delegates to the national convention of the Knights of Columbus."

The Knights of Columbus passed a resolution to have the order assist in any effort made toward the granting of Sunday observance, locally and nationally. The Knights endorsed my stand. Since I raised that question in Lead they now demand from every applicant for employment a statement as to their religious affiliations as well as their political views. When a man applies for a position he is kept waiting, or as they put it, he is told to "rustle." Translated out of the vernacular that means come around every morning, report to the time-keeper's office and we will see. In the meantime the company's spotters are sent out to sound him. These "spotters" have never been actually proven to be in the employ of the company. The company does not admit it, but the man is approached from different men and he is sounded regarding his views on important subjects. Then after a week or two of "rustling" he is either refused or accepted. The company insists the men may lay off on Sunday, if they wish. They will not discriminate, they say. But the men say differently. They insist that the company does discriminate, and that the shift boss will discriminate against those men who do lay off on Sunday, giving them the hardest jobs and laying them off the first of the lot when the work is slack.

"The only thing I asked of the company was that they would not discriminate against these men, and that they make it a bona fide offer, and state that they would like to see a man take advantage of it. And they refused. It was then I opened fire upon them. I wanted the men to feel that if they wished to lay off on Sunday they could, and they don't feel that way. The company has not given me a letter that would satisfy the men, and I take the position that the company should not offer them work on Sunday, for they should earn enough in six days of labor to support them and not be compelled to eke out a living by Sunday work. The Homestake Mining Company has no right to take advantage of the acanty pay it doles out to them. The law of South Dakota forbids unnecessary work on Sunday and the company could very easily arrange to give that day to a very large number of its men. All of them should have it."

The Bishop, when asked for his opinion as to the ultimate result of his fight, expressed the opinion that ultimately we would have a national law making one day of rest obligatory. "The State of New York has adopted such a law," he said, "and there is no reason why others should not. A great many agencies are at work toward that end, and the sentiment is growing."

WILL CARRY MANY.

The fact that the only excursion of the season to Jasper, Ind., will take place on Sunday, August 30, insures a large crowd. It will be under the auspices of the Central Committee, C. K. of A., the round trip costing only \$1.50. President Helen Kruse, Capt. Oscar Maler, Secretary Henry Schubert and Charles Hill are arranging for many attractions and a championship ball game at Jasper. Capt. Kunkel has tendered the use of his hall for the excursionists, and

the Jasper Knights will give them a hearty welcome. The train will leave the Seventh-street depot at 7:45, arriving in Jasper about 11 o'clock. Louisville Knights will spare no effort to make this the best excursion ever given from this city.

CENTRAL VEREIN.

Last Sunday morning at Pittsburgh the national convention of the Central Verein was opened in St. Paul's Cathedral, with the Pontifical high mass celebrated by the Papal Delegate, Most Rev. John Bonzano. In the afternoon an audience estimated at 7,000 rose in Exposition Hall at the public opening, and led by a choir of 500 voices sang the "Star Spangled Banner" as a huge American flag was unfurled from the gallery. The Most Rev. John Bonzano, Papal Delegate to the United States, and many distinguished members of the Roman Catholic clergy sat isly sat on the platform. The Papal Delegate made a brief address, reading a message from Cardinal Merry del Val, Papal Secretary of State. It conveyed to the Central Verein the thanks of Pope Pius for the renewed assurance of their fidelity, and bestowed upon the delegates his apostolic benediction, which was bestowed by the Papal Delegate, the people kneeling. Addresses by the Most Rev. John Bonzano; Bishop J. F. Reilly, Caneville, of Toledo, and Bishop Joseph Schrembs, of Toledo, S. D., were among the principal features of Monday's sessions of the Central Verein, but routine business took up the greater part of the day. At Tuesday's session President Joseph Frey reported that 6,000 members had been added to the roll during the past year and prospects for additional increases in membership were good. The day was devoted largely to committee reports and other routine business. At this session a committee was appointed to organize a Catholic Women's League, and the name of the younger men's branch was changed to Gonzaga Union. The convention adjourned late Wednesday, after selecting St. Paul, Minn., as the convention city for next year and electing the following officers: President, Joseph Frey, New York; Vice President, Michael Gorton, of Illinois, and Joseph Stockhausen, of Pennsylvania; Secretary, August Sprinkob and J. Q. Juene, both of Minnesota; Treasurer, F. M. Immekus, of Pennsylvania. In the final resolutions the Industrial Workers of the World were condemned as the enemies of the Christian workmen, and the Irish Nationalists were indorsed in their campaign for home rule. President Frey was instructed to send a committee to Washington to protest against the policy of Mexico toward Catholic orders.

HOLY CROSS FETE.

Holy Cross lawn fete and chicken supper, to be held on the church grounds, Thirty-second and Broadway, next Monday and Tuesday afternoons and evenings, judging by the aroused interest over the preparatory plans, promises to be one grand occasion of the day for the people of that parish and their friends. The committees are congratulating themselves on having secured special features and prizes for this occasion, together with an abundance of chicken to be served the numerous guests. Father Frey, the pastor, and his people will have a hearty welcome and good time for all who attend.

SUSTAINS PAINFUL INJURIES.

Louis Hannon, the fourteen-year-old son of Edward Hannon, 2024 East Spring street, will recover from the painful injury at his home in Bardonia. The boy was riding his bicycle on Vincennes street, when the handlebar turned, throwing him with much force against a coal cart. His scalp was torn from his head and he was removed to St. Edward's Hospital in an unconscious condition, where the scalp was slipped back and sewed. The latest report was that the boy was out of danger and doing nicely.

BARDSTOWN.

The sad intelligence was received here Tuesday of the death of Miss Mayne Daugherty at her home in Bardonia. Miss Daugherty was forty-eight years of age and was one of the most respected women in Nelson county. Her death resulted from a complication of diseases and was a shock to her many friends. She is survived by two brothers, Judge Frank Daugherty and Dr. J. W. Daugherty, of Bardonia, and three sisters, Miss Gusie Daugherty, of Washington; Mrs. Nannie Clark, of Columbia, Ohio, and Mrs. T. Y. Barber, of Bardonia. The funeral was one of the largest held from the old Cathedral church for a long time.

STEUBEN STATUE.

An imposing bronze statue of Baron Steuben, the drill master of the Revolution, was unveiled in Utica, N. Y., last week. It stands at the entrance of the new parkway. The ceremonies were under the auspices of the German Alliance. Baron Von Steuben was born in Magdeburg, Prussia, November 15, 1730, and died November 28, 1794. He was educated at the Jesuit's colleges of Niesse and Breslau. He joined the Revolutionary army in 1777 and spent his whole fortune in clothing and repairing, voting him in 1790 an annuity of \$2,500 and a strip of land in New York State.

K. OF C. OUTING.

The local council Knights of Columbus will have their annual outing for members and their families next Thursday at Fern Grove, two boats to leave in the morning at 9 and 10 o'clock.

DEMOCRATS

Need United Front For Success
in the Coming November
Election.

Heretofore Fails of Cementing
Factions Task to Lot of
Chairman McGrath.

Callahan's Futile Attempt to Defeat
Sherley in the Recent
Primary.

FIRST WARD CLUB ORGANIZED

With the announcement of Beckham's plurality of 8,606, which is the result of the official count, comes the pledged support of his recent opponents, Gov. McCreary and Congressman Stanley, in the United States Senatorial primary, both offering to make speeches and assist in any way to aid the ticket in the coming November election. This spirit also pervades throughout the entire State, the newspaper men in the Democratic ranks clamoring for a united front against the common enemy, meaning the Republicans, as no one to date is taking Burton Vance's candidacy very seriously, or in fact any of the other Progressive nominees. All agree, as predicted in these columns, that ex-Gov. Willson, the Republican nominee, will be the man to bent, as there is no denying the fact that the Republican leader is a strong man all over the State, and especially so in the Louisville, his home town. Judging from the present situation he is sure to profit by the anti-Beckham sentiment so prevalent among local Democrats. This can be charged up to two things—because of the unpopularity of Beckham and his man Haley and because of the attempt of certain Beckham leaders to coerce local Democrats into supporting him in the primary whether they liked it or not.

At the present writing this class is in no mood to support the Democratic ticket, and this element, supplemented by the liquor men, who are lenient of Beckham's prohibition views, make quite a defection in the Democratic ranks, which can only be remedied by quite an amount of diplomacy judiciously handled by some one who is in touch with all factions and who can unite them for the success of the ticket. This to begin with is a herculean task and will mean lots of hard and earnest work, and in the opinion of the majority no one is better fitted or more capable than our present Democratic Chairman and leader, Frank McGrath. His attitude preliminary to the primary left no hard feelings in any of the three camps, and the fact that the Jefferson county Democracy will be more apt to follow his lead in the support of the ticket than any other man or set of men in the ranks. It is believed that this work will have to be started in the First precinct of the First ward and carried to the Forty-first of the twelfth ward, the last city precinct, thence to the county for completion, and with these methods only can a substantial majority be secured for the Democratic ticket.

Much adverse comment was created by the publication in these columns last week of the probable chances of Col. Callahan in the race for the gubernatorial Democratic nomination, the story being republished from a Chicago oil and paint journal, many local Democrats being outspoken in their resentment against the proposed nominee, owing to his support of Axton in the recent municipal election, and lately because of his rumored financial backing of the plan to defeat Congressman Sherley in the primary, thereby injuring the party's chances for success in November, but fortunately only 2,414 votes were secured in the city and county out of 14,000 votes cast in the race, this position showing no speaking very well for Col. Callahan's strength or financial assistance in the ranks of the Democratic voters.

The attention of the writer has been called to the remarkable strength developed by Roger Nobility in the last couple of elections, this in the last couple of elections, this sterling Democrat being the recipient of much praise for his work as an organizer in both primary and general elections, and it goes without saying that Roger will be much sought after by candidates and politicians in future elections. The secret of his hold on voters in that district is attributed in a great measure to his loyalty to his friends and associates, supporting them "through thick and thin."

Even more pronounced than the singing of the locusts that fall is approaching is the organization of Democratic clubs for the coming campaign, the first in the field being the George H. Barrett Club of the First ward, the members being already at work for the success of the ticket and governed by the following officers: President, F. A. Stoepker; Vice President, Walter Minkster; Secretary, Adam P. Stengel; Treasurer, Edward Schaefer. The club is named after our eloquent and distinguished Representative from that district, who is also an announced candidate for Railroad Commissioner.

HOW BIRDS FLY.

Strange as it may appear, it is a fact that no bird possesses the power to fly.

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CATHOLIC CITIZENS.

When anti-Catholic orators declare that we Catholics are bad citizens, that we ought to be persecuted, that we should be denied civil and religious liberty, that we are a menace to American institutions, etc., etc., through all the columns of our enemies, the Catholic Columbian calmly points to such thorough Catholic citizens as:

James Gibbons, Cardinal Archbishop of Baltimore.
John Ireland, ex-army chaplain and now Archbishop of St. Paul.
Henry Moeller, Archbishop of Cincinnati.

Edward D. White, Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court.
John Burke, ex-Governor of North Dakota and now Treasurer of the United States.

Hon. James A. O'Gorman, ex-Judge of the Supreme Court of New York and now United States Senator from that State.

Hon. Joseph E. Ransdell, United States Senator from Louisiana.
Hon. John J. Fitzgerald, Chairman of the Appropriations Committee in the United States House of Representatives.

Hon. Edward J. McDermott, Lieutenant Governor of Kentucky.
Hon. Martin Glynn, Governor of the State of New York.

Gov. Walsh, of Massachusetts; Gov. Poirier, of Rhode Island; Senator Ashurst, Hon. Timothy Hogan, Attorney General of Ohio; Congressman James M. Graham, of Illinois; T. T. Annaberry and Henry Goetzke, of Ohio; Congressman Korbly, of Indiana, and a million others like them, and we say:

"Fellow citizens, here are representative Catholic citizens, here are men such as the Catholic church produces when it is free to train its members, here are fruits of the Catholic religion. Do you like this kind of men? Have you any objection to them as Christians, as American citizens? If you have not, why will you listen to the blackguards who endeavor to fill your hearts with hatred of your Catholic neighbors?"

RELIGION IN TRAINING.

But a few weeks yet remain until the opening of the school year. The Catholic clergy, the Brothers and the Sisters of religious orders, are in the midst of preparations which will make for a prosperous school year for the Catholic youth of the country.

The teaching orders are soon to enter upon their special period of responsibility and sacrifice for the instruction of the children of the children of the church. During the period that has elapsed since the closing of the schools devoted women have been taking special courses preparing to keep the Catholic youth abreast with the times in thought and culture and in all that makes for the advancement of the Catholic youth. By retreats and spiritual exercises they add to their inspiration for the service of God in teaching the children. As a teaching body the Sisters are in a place by themselves for excellency of work, devotion and sacrifice. The time has long passed since it was common to make comparisons between the work offered by the teaching bodies of religious orders and those outside.

The succeeding generations will bear powerful testimony to the influence exercised by the teaching orders of the Catholic church and the educational system of the church upon the lives of the citizens of the country. This influence will grow more and more powerful and more and more acceptable to the public at large as they grow to understand that education means moral as well as intellectual tone and that morality can not be purchased without the influence of religion.

KEEP COOL.

Much as peace loving people regret it, the great European war threatens in intensity and bitterness. Five great nations are involved and several battles are reported to have taken place, but so conflicting is the news that it is yet impossible to tell the results. Slight attention has been paid President Wilson's offer of mediation, which all hoped would bear fruitful results. True Americans hope this country will not become involved and are beseeching the God of Peace that the awful conflict may speedily end. It is the duty of our people to keep cool and not be misled

by the absurd and imaginary news that is being featured in the papers of our cities. Here we are all Americans and defenders of the American flag and no other, and it would be a crime in the eyes of God and man to stand for any other allegiance.

FRATERNAL (?) DAY.

There is a movement on foot to designate September 12 as Fraternal day, the different local fraternal societies to parade and participate in one big gathering at some central point and the General Council to declare a half holiday, this resolution being introduced by Alderman Clifford.

Many have questioned the motive behind this movement, and to many it seems that there is an Ethiopian in the woodpile somewhere, judging from where the source arises. The Junior Order of United American Mechanics, recognized everywhere as an A. P. A. society, being promoters of ex-priests and other scurrilous lecturers, is the originator and chief promoter of this fraternal day observance, the meetings being held in their hall on East Broadway, and to date have enlisted the Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias, Red Men and one or two other non-sectarian societies in their cause. It is presumed that the societies enrolled will not encourage any of their members to participate who happen to be foreigners or the sons of foreigners, the Junior Order being a bitter foe of immigration, this restriction being a mystery to many seeing the names of leading Juniors, which are far from being Indian in character.

However, if the parade is carried through we hope to see the Juniors out in the open, a novelty in itself, and their full membership in line, in striking contrast to their showing last fall, when about 100 marched in the Perry Centennial parade, looking lonesome and shamefaced.

FAIR PLAY.

The German-American societies did exactly right in protesting against the unfairness of many of the papers of this country in their stories of the European war, and in this protest they are endorsed by the many who believe in fair play. In answer many of the editors plead that they are compelled to accept the news dictated by England, but the latter does not write the anti-German headlines and editorials.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Ancient Order of Hibernians have undertaken a most highly commendable and patriotic work. They intend to raise a fund of \$50,000 with which to erect in Washington a monument to the members of the Catholic Sisterhoods who served their God, their country and their neighbor as nurses during the civil war.

By an overwhelming majority Ohio Democrats nominated Attorney General Timothy S. Hogan as their candidate for United States Senator. With Gov. Cox and the Attorney General leading the ticket the Democrats ought to win easily.

Today is the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin and a holy day of obligation.

McDERMOTT NOW GOVERNOR.

Lieut. Gov. Edward J. McDermott left Monday for Frankfort, and will be Kentucky's Chief Executive until the return of Gov. McCrory next month. Upon all sides there is an increasing demand that Gov. McDermott be named to succeed Gov. McCrory.

HAPPY TODAY.

Mrs. Mary Carroll, of Jeffersonville, is today celebrating her eighty-seventh birthday and receiving the congratulations of her friends. Mrs. Carroll is a sister of Michael A. Sweeney and James W. Sweeney, well known business men, and is remarkably active despite her years.

CABLEGRAM FROM CARDINAL.
Cardinal Farley and his party, as to whose safety abroad there had been some anxiety, are safe at Brunna, Switzerland, according to a private cablegram received in New York Saturday. The dispatch added that the date of their return was uncertain. With the Cardinal and Bishop Hayes, Vice General Edwards, of New York, and Dr. Carroll, the Cardinal's secretary.

CASTLE FOR JESUITS.
Rathfarnham Castle, a magnificent fortress-like structure in Ireland, rebuilt on a magnificent scale in Queen Elizabeth's time by Archbishop Loftus, will probably become the Jesuit novitiate in Ireland.

SOCIETY.

Miss Mamie Glenn left Sunday for a trip to the lakes.

Wallace Renfro was in New York for several days last week.

Mrs. Edward Aud has just returned from a visit to Detroit.

Miss Celia Laven has been spending two weeks in New York City.

Dan Driscoll has been visiting at Danville, the guest of Frank Gilcher.

Miss Abbie D. Chester and brother Edmund are visiting at White Mills.

Miss Mary Burke has been visiting Misses Josie and Laura Casteel at Stillton.

Miss Camille Samonin is visiting in Cincinnati, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Morse.

Miss Grace Kirm has just returned from a trip to Niagara Falls and Toronto.

Obrecht Rapier spent last week with his sister, Mrs. J. I. Greenwell, at New Haven.

Col. and Mrs. Charles P. Dehler left Saturday to spend a month at St. Clemens, Mich.

M. J. Flanagan was among the Louisville visitors spending the past week in New York.

John E. Shelley is spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Perkins at Normandy.

Mrs. K. Graves, accompanied by her niece, Miss Alma K. Keaney, left Saturday for St. Louis.

Miss Elizabeth Hogan left Wednesday morning to join her aunt at French Lick Springs.

Mrs. G. L. Darnell, of Beechmont, has been entertaining Mrs. P. B. Fitzpatrick, of Covington.

Mrs. Cliff Collins and little daughter are with her grandmother, Mrs. Frank Larkin, at Leitchfield.

J. Hunter Ross and wife and family are at Atlantic City to spend the remainder of the summer.

Miss Marie Maloney will leave next week to spend a month in Asheville and Lake Toxaway, N. C.

Mrs. John Breen and children, of Jeffersonville, are spending two weeks with friends in Chicago.

Miss Mary LaPaille is spending several weeks at Atlantic City and other Eastern points of interest.

Mrs. Al. J. Arts and children have returned from a visit to Mrs. W. E. Fiedler and family in Frankfort.

Mrs. Anna E. Mattingly, of Portland, was the week-end guest of Mrs. J. W. Wentzell in New Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil J. Hendricks left Sunday for Atlantic City and New York, to be gone until September.

John Welch and daughter, Miss Anastasia, have returned from Taylorsville, where they attended the fair.

Miss Josephine Schmuck, of the Highlands, has returned from a visit to relatives and friends in Owensboro.

Miss Gertrude Hagan has been visiting at New Haven, the guest of her cousins, Misses Emma and Mabel Hagan.

Sojourning at Bay View, Mich., the past week were Mrs. E. Connaughton and Misses Mary and Catherine McGill.

Misses Agnes and Loretto Dixon, of Jeffersonville, are home from a visit to St. Mary of the Woods, near Terre Haute.

Miss Eleanor Hanley, of 2914 South Fifth street, has been spending a week with Mrs. Katie Murphy in Jeffersonville.

The State Department at Washington was advised on Tuesday of the safe arrival in London of Miss Mollie Collins.

Misses Mayne and Regina Constantine have returned home from Winnipeg, Man., where they visited for two weeks.

Miss Regina Kelley, of New Albany, went to Elizabeth, Harrison county, last week, to be the guest of Miss Beatrice Crozier.

Guests registered at the Roynl Magnesian Inn at Laxragna the past few days were Misses Agnes Dignan and Marie Fitzgibbons.

Col. Henry Hunold will return today from a ten days' sojourn at West Baden Springs, where his first visit was much enjoyed.

Miss Agnes Mandel left Saturday to join her sister, Miss Mary Mandel, who was the guest of Miss Aline Donley at Frankfort.

Mrs. Elbert Masden and children have been enjoying a pleasant visit with the former's mother, Mrs. Mary Flanagan, at Lebanon Junction.

Thomas Lynch, the well known freight platform superintendent of the Illinois Central railroad, has returned to work after ten days' vacation.

Deputy Sheriff D. J. Heffernan and wife, D. J. Heffernan, Jr., and Harry Grimes leave tomorrow for a three weeks' sojourn at Dawson Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dugan, of South Sixth street, have been visiting in Cleveland this past week and were much entertained during their stay the Forest City.

Mrs. Miles Burns and son Bernard, of Jackson, and little Miss

Seran, of Newport, are visiting Mrs. Ellen Lyons and Mrs. John W. Gullion, of Third avenue.

Visitors and spending the past week at West Baden Springs were Misses M. Brannigan, Nora Murphy and Mary Wilberding, who greatly enjoyed the waters there.

Mrs. Hannah McElmott, Mrs. Mary Berling, Mrs. Bridget Fitzgerald, Misses Nonie Twobig and Bertha Heffernan left Tuesday to spend two weeks at French Lick Springs.

Judge Matt O'Doherty, Mrs. O'Doherty and niece, Miss Kathleen Ewing, and Misses Anna and Blanche Carr have gone to Ballast Island, on Lake Erie, to spend two weeks.

Misses Dorothy and Mary Shelley were hostesses Tuesday night at a delightful "500" party in honor of Miss Frances McClure, of Lexington, the guest of Mrs. Warren Green.

Mrs. Will Farley, of 1337 Catalpa street, have been entertaining Mrs. M. L. Heffernan and daughter Eleanor, of Huntsville, Ala., and Miss Katherine L. Bogley, of Cincinnati.

Miss Gertrude McGinn and Mrs. L. D. Glass are home from Owensboro, where they went to attend the funeral obsequies of Bernard Pottinger, whose death occurred last week.

Col. P. H. Callahan received a cable message Tuesday announcing the safe arrival in London of Mrs. Callahan and daughter, Miss Edith Callahan, who sailed from New York on August 1.

Mrs. Edward J. McDermott, Misses Susan and Catherine McDermott and Edward J. McDermott, Jr., will go to Frankfort soon to visit Hon. E. J. McDermott, who is now acting Governor of the State.

Louisville visitors at Grayson Springs the past week included Misses McGuire, Miss Mattle Cissell, Miss Viola Sexton, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Eggers and daughters, Messrs. J. Kelly, C. Murphy and John Springman and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bowling entertained with dinner Saturday evening followed by a porch dance. The present were Misses Irene Schmitt, Mary Lawrence Bax, Mary G. Ridge, Messrs. John S. Hennessy, T. Finck Martin and Joseph R. Kelly.

Miss Mary Ridge, of East Broadway, entertained her 500 club Wednesday evening, those present being Misses Grace Kirm, Mary Lawrence Bax, Irene Schmitt, Hortense Twyman; Messrs. Al Hermann, John M. Hennessy, Will Cannon, Joseph R. Kelly, T. Finck Martin and Walter Pilsen.

Registered at White Mills last week were Misses Marie Garaghty, Elizabeth Zehnder, Abbie Chester, Blanche Ramstein, Marie Schaefer, Mrs. Margaret Hendricks, Mrs. George J. Graeser and Messrs. E. C. Noonan, J. Hourigan, J. F. Dannenhold, Jr., Edmund Chester, J. C. Graeghty and George and Emil Graeser, all of this city.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

Late News That Will Interest Members Here and Elsewhere.

The Increase during the past year was 24,784.

The total membership June 30 was 326,858.

There were 244 delegates in the St. Paul convention.

The Knights number 25,000 in Chicago, with fifty-nine councils.

Fifty hundred received the fourth degree at the St. Paul exemplification.

There was a big first degree exemplification on Thursday at Oakland, Cal.

Three hundred women acted as patronesses at the Chicago Chapter picnic last Saturday.

Memphis will exemplify the third degree September 7. This is the third initiation within eight months.

New York, with over 48,000, leads in membership, with Illinois, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania and Ohio following.

Walter M. Burke, State Deputy for Wisconsin, will represent the Knights at the Fraternal Congress to be held at Niagara Falls.

The famous St. Louis Choral Club, which won high praise at the national convention, was formed during the St. Louis Exposition for the purpose of aiding in the celebration of Columbus day.

TWIN CITY LEAGUE.

The two leading teams, the Champions and Olympics, of the Catholic Baseball League, retained their hold and tie for first place, the Champions defeating the Imperials with their former star batter Brownfield in the box, while the Olympics held Mackin safe with Henry in the box, this greatly improved pitcher striking out eighteen men. The Shamrocks made it seven straight by defeating the Bruins in a 5 to 4 game, this victory rounding out seven straight wins over the other seven teams in the league and leaving these two tied for third place. Dan Hennessy's Trinity athletes regained their batting eyes and walloped the K. of C. team in a one-sided contest. The following is the schedule for tomorrow: K. of C. vs. Imperials, Champions vs. Mackin, Olympics vs. Shamrocks, and Bruins vs. Trinity. The standing to date:

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Champions	13	2	.867
Olympics	13	2	.857
Bruins	9	6	.600
Shamrocks	8	6	.569
Imperials	8	9	.400
Trinity	6	9	.400
Mackin	3	12	.200
Knights Columbus	1	14	.067

GRANITE HIGH SCHOOL.

In New York City next month there will open in a handsome new building of white granite that cost \$1,500,000, that city's first Catholic free high school for boys.

IRELAND.

Record of the Most Important of the Recent Events Culled From Exchanges.

The death has taken place of the Rev. John McCann, Newtown and Kilmacthomas.

Martin Scanlan was unanimously elected Vice Chairman of the Kilkee Town Commissioners.

Thomas Leonard, of Beltra, has been appointed to the Commission of the Peace for the County Sligo.

The Irish National Volunteer movement has spread to every center in Queen's county, and its good effects are already felt.

Right Rev. Monsignor Murphy has been re-elected Chairman of the Maryborough Asylum Board, a position which he has held for fifteen years.

Rev. J. C. Cannon, of Glencolumbkille, County Donegal, has been appointed to Ramelton, being replaced by Rev. Dr. P. A. O'Doherty, of Ramelton.

Lord Carberry has sent a check for \$400 to Monsignor O'Leary, of Clonakilty, for the equipment of the local corps of the Irish National Volunteers.

Dr. D. J. O'Malley, medical officer of Glennamaddy Workhouse dispensary district, has been appointed to the Commission of the Peace for County Galway.

The death has taken place at Westford of Ben Hughes in his ninetieth year. Deceased was connected with the Repeal and '48 movements. He was several times Mayor of the town.

The death of Dr. J. J. Nolan, County Coroner of Carlow, is announced. He contracted typhoid fever from patients in the local hospital. He leaves a widow and five children.

The tender of John Lambie, builder, of Thurles, has been accepted by the Cashel Urban Council for the erection of forty houses under the housing of the working classes acts.

At the recent fortnightly meeting of the Newcastle West Board of Guardians the election of Clerk of the Union took place, and A. J. Byrnes, of Rossville, Newcastle West, was unanimously appointed.

An old man named Patrick Marrow, residing near Moneymore, died suddenly on the roadside near his residence. He was engaged in cutting grass, and it is believed that he was overcome by the heat.

William Byrne, speaking at the Ballyglass Session, said that since the Volunteer movement started there had been no cases of drunkenness before the Magistrates, and no crime whatever in the district.

Justice Holmes, addressing the Cavan grand jury, said that there was very little crime, which spoke well for a county of the dimensions of Cavan, and he congratulated them on this satisfactory state of affairs.

Addressing the grand jury at the opening of the Fermanagh Assizes Justice Boyd, who was presented with white gloves by the High Sheriff, said it was very pleasant for him to have to congratulate them on the state of the county.

Matthew Flannely, of Castlebar, who was prominent in the '65 and '67 movements, has just died at the age of ninety-two. He took a leading part in the famous election when George Henry Moore, father of Col. Moore, commander of the volunteers, was elected for Mayo.

A beautiful marble headstone has been erected in Jamestown cemetery by the Guardians and officials of the Carrick-on-Shannon Union and the public over the grave of Nurse Marian O'Dwyer, a native of Westford, who died in discharge of her duties in the Carrick Fever Hospital.

ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH.

The novena to Our Lady of Lourdes, now in progress at St. Michael's church, Brook street, between Market and Jefferson, will close with beautifully impressive ceremonies tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock. There will be solemn vespers, procession, sermon and benediction and a special musical programme. All friends of the church and the pastor, Rev. Martin O'Connor, will be welcome.

GROUND TO BE BROKEN.

Though the date has not been set, it is expected that ground will be broken next month for the foundation for the new St. Patrick's school on Market street, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth. Father Cronin, V. G., the pastor of St. Patrick's church, has plans for a handsome and commodious structure, one that will be a great improvement to Market street, which he hopes to have finished early next year.

FRIENDS COMING.

Many Cincinnati friends of Rev. William Gausephol, pastor of St. Mary Magdalen's church, are preparing to attend the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood, which is to take place September 10. Father Gausephol was pastor of St. Joseph's church in Cincinnati for several years.

IMPROVEMENT.

Passersby and members of the congregation are highly pleased with the outward improvements being made to St. Boniface church, Fehr avenue and Jackson street. The dials on the clock have been repainted and the numbers on the faces gilded, and the woodwork of the steeple is also receiving a new coat of paint, giving the whole a fresh and bright appearance.

FRANCISCANS.

The annual Franciscan Chapter, held last week at Cincinnati, transferred to St. Boniface Monastery, this city, the Rev. Joseph Klein, O. F. M., who will teach there the annuals. Rev. Justin Volk, O. F. M., becomes a member of the missionary band stationed at St. Boniface, and the Rev. Patrick McArro, O. F. M., is also appointed to that church.

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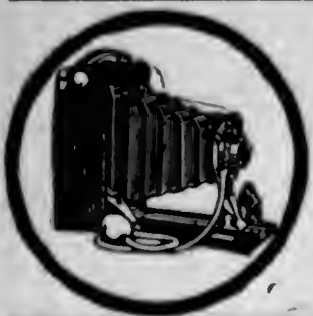
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DOING VAST WORLD'S WORK

Recently in the Congregation- alist church at Winnetka, Ill., the Rev. Edwin F. Snell preached a remarkable sermon, telling why he loves the Catholic church. I want to tell you this afternoon, he said, in a very simple way why I love the Roman Catholic church, and why I believe it is the duty of every Christian to love that church sincerely. First, I love the Roman Catholic church because of what she has been. It is the old Mother Church. Let me emphasize that. Our churches are all the offspring of that church. A few ultra Protestants will try to claim that they trace their genealogy through some stray erratic movements back to the Apostles without touching the Church of Rome, but this is largely imaginary. For more than a thousand years Rome has preserved the integrity and transmitted the vitality of the Christian gospel before ever anything like Protestant secession was dreamed of; and when the Protestant movement came, it was made possible as a branch is made possible on the vine; it grew out of the strong vitality of the Mother Church. Rome is the mother of all Protestantism as surely as England is the mother of America; as surely as Judaism is the mother of Christianity. Now I hold that it is a matter of simple decency to be loyal to one's mother. I could not respect myself if I could forget that as a Protestant I owe my very being as a Christian, I owe all the light and joy and liberty in Christ I enjoy to the Mother Church. To her I owe the very existence of that Bible which I love.

For fifteen hundred years the preachers and pastors, the hymn writers and the church builders, the social reformers and the mystics, the theologians and the poets of all Europe west of Russia were Roman Catholics. All our spiritual wealth as Protestants is an inherited wealth; inherited through the Roman Catholic church. But isn't it true that there was a great deal back there which was sadly wrong and bad? There is no doubt about that. Have there not been very evil Popes and priests? There is no question at all about it. But all this corruption was but the festering sores on a body that was essentially sound, which had real life in it. We must remember that it has always been true that one black sheep, especially if he be a Christian leader, gains a publicity which a hundred faithful, true leaders never receive. For every evil priest there were a thousand true and faithful servants of Christ, living and dying to make the world a more Christly world; and the very debauched and unworthy Christians there were ten thousand simple, true, God-fearing, Christ-loving men and women who kept the faith. Historians have to write about the high lights of the years; the plain, every-day living escapes them. Today every pastor who goes wrong will receive a place on the first page of the newspaper and large headlines; the thousand pastors who are doing their duty in a simple way live and die without ever being mentioned. It has always been so. Our idea of history is widely distorted unless we remember the ground work of faithful living which makes continuing history possible.

Secondly, I love the Roman Catholic church for what she is to be. I regard it as one of the most unfortunate things about our life today that we so little understand each other, we Protestants and Roman Catholics who are all brethren in Christ. It is proverbial, I suppose, that no feud is so sore and unhealing as a family feud. The very love which should bind, when turned to hate, becomes the most complete of all barriers. If you want to know what real bitterness and strife are, you must look into family life. That explains, I suppose, the unholiness in the hearts of Protestants and Catholics for each other. The Catholic priest knows his people better than we know them. Few of us anywhere do so well as we ideally might. I think the priest would be as quick to acknowledge his sense of insufficiency and his sorrow for it as Protestants.

But is it not true that the Roman Catholic church is un-American, and is seeking to overthrow our Government and all that? I hesitate not to say that I believe it is a foul and hateful calumny. The people who say these things have not one solid fact upon which to base their monstrous indictment. It is an utterly unworthy frame of mind for brethren in Christ to have toward each other. It is true of course that many Catholics are office-holders, and many more are office-seekers. But why shouldn't they be? But every time the test comes, when there is a call for men to go to the front and die for their country, the Catholic bears his full share of the load which patriotism then assigns and triumphantly and concretely vindicates his loyalty. We must get this miserable slander out of our minds. By every test which can be fairly applied the Catholic stands on a par with his Protestant brother.

I hesitate not to affirm my faith in and my affection for the Catholic church today. She is doing a vast work in the world; she has an enormous responsibility resting upon her for the souls of millions in her custody and she is sincerely trying to bring to them the Gospel of Christ, and if we are Christians we are chal-

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lenged by the duty to love them sincerely. "By this shall all men know that ye are my disciples if ye love one another."

Finally then I love the Roman Catholic church for what she is to be. Because she is the Mother Church I look to see her make a place again for the children who have gone forth. I look to see her grow more gentle and more wistful when her children become less truculent. The time of our separation grows long; if we can only begin to substitute kind for harsh thoughts, if only the mother can begin to grow proud of her vigorous offspring and the children grow more appreciative of the old mother, the time of a great reconciliation should not be hopelessly remote.

Let us judge the Catholic church by the Catholics we know or may know in our own midst; we shall find them as neighbors and as Christians to be worthy of our Christian love; and if we ever discover some frail soul who is not all the Christian he might be, let us remember our own frailty and pray God for grace to be some help to him; not merely a harsh and un-Christianlike censor.

LONG HOME STAY.

Manager Jack Hayden's Colonels arrived home this morning from Columbus, where our boys received an awful jolt to their pennant aspirations, unfortunately striking the Senators when they were playing the best game in the association, up to last Wednesday the Louisville team having beaten them eight out of twelve games. On the other hand our deadly rivals, the Milwaukee team, hit St. Paul and Minneapolis when they were at their worst, if that is possible in the case of the former, winning one-sided games. However, the Colonels are now in a position to make up for lost ground, the series opening with Indianapolis this afternoon, being the first of a long home stay, and all indications point to splendid attendances and support from the fans, who rejoice in the game spirit shown by the team. As a suggestion to the management and Police Captain Brown, it is earnestly hoped that a quietus will be put on the piker gamblers who frequent third base and vent their displeasure on the players if in danger of losing their bets.

A. P. A. ORGANIZER.

The A. P. A. sheet, the Peril, published in North Carolina, carries an advertisement from one A. F. Hass soliciting candidates in this territory for the Knights of Malta, a society of A. P. A. and un-American tendencies. Promoter Hass is a letter carrier in the local Postoffice and resides at 509 Gernert Court.

THIS YEAR.

In answer to "Reader for Many Years" must say that the present has been the hottest and driest summer for many years past. This fact is established by the Government Weather Bureau reports.

DELEWARE

Last of the Thirteen Original States to Be Made a Diocese.

Rev. Thomas Andrew Becker, a Convert, Was Its First Bishop.

His Bequest For Education of Young Men Has Just Expired.

WAS ARCHBISHOP'S SECRETARY

By James A. Rooney, LL. D.

Though Delaware was the last of the original thirteen States to be given a Bishopric, as the diocese of Wilmington was not established until March 3, 1868, and her first Bishop was not consecrated until the following August, it is not to be supposed that Catholicity had not made its influence felt in the colony prior to that time. The early missionaries were not harassed in Delaware by the anti-Catholic enactments that disgraced the statute books of the other colonies, for in its constitution of 1776 it was declared that "there shall be no establishment of any one religious sect in this State in preference to another." Besides it was too convenient to the Maryland missions to be long neglected by the Jesuits of those days.

As early as 1750 the Fathers of St. Francis Xavier in Bohemia Manor are recorded to have established a mission at Apoclinimick, in New Castle county, and even twenty years before that it is not improbable that the first mass in the colony was offered up in the home of Cornelius Hallahan, an Irish Catholic who lived near the present Mount Cuba.

The Episcopalians were watching the adherents of the ancient faith, for from their records we learn of the presence of Catholics in Dover in 1848 to 1851. They were attended from Maryland by a Jesuit who was known as Father Manners, by Father Faure, Father John Rosseter, an Augustinian, who had been an officer in Rochambeau's army; by Father Clot, a French refugee from San Domingo, and by Father Charles Whelan, a chaplain of De Grasse's fleet and for two years pastor of Old St. Peter's in Barclay street, New York. Father Whelan was pastor of St. Mary's log church at Coffee Run in Mill Creek Hundred, about six miles from Wilmington, that had been built by Father Manners, and his successor was Father Patrick Kenny, who had for an assistant Father George A. Carroll, S. J., who has consecrated the first Bishop of Covington on November 1, 1859. It was from this first church that the Catholics of the surrounding country were attended. Some portions of this historic edifice are still standing. It was also Father Kenny who in 1816 built St. Peter's church, Wilmington, which greatly enlarged and beautified is now St. Peter's Cathedral. Adjoining it in 1839 was built the first of the fourteen parochial schools with which the diocese is now supplied.

When the War of the Rebellion was over the Catholics of Delaware had so increased in numbers and influence that a division of the diocese of Philadelphia was decided upon and on March 3, 1868, the diocese of Wilmington was erected with jurisdiction over the State, together with the eastern shore counties of Maryland and Virginia. The Rev. Thomas Andrew Becker, pastor of St. Peter's church, Richmond, was appointed as the first Bishop of the new see and he was consecrated by Archbishop Martin John Spalding, of Baltimore, on August 16, 1868. Bishop Becker was a convert to the faith. He was born in Pittsburgh of German Protestant parents, but he became a Catholic while yet a young man. He completed his studies for the priesthood at the Propaganda and was ordained in Rome, July 18, 1859. He returned home and after a brief ministry at Martinsburg was appointed to a professorship in Mount St. Mary's, Emmitsburg. He then served for a time as Archbishop Spalding's secretary, after being promoted to the Richmond pastorate.

On his consecration a census of the diocese of Wilmington showed a Catholic population of about 5,000, fourteen churches, mostly in bad repair and some mere sheds; and only eight priests. In eighteen years he had increased the number of churches to twenty-six and the priests to twenty-one, besides the Catholic population had nearly doubled. He was transferred to the see of Savannah, March 26, 1886, as its sixth Bishop, to succeed the Right Rev. William H. Gross, who had been promoted to be Archbishop of Oregon City. Bishop Becker's health failed rapidly and while recuperating at Washington, Ga., he died July 29, 1889. A notable bequest in his will was a legacy of \$15,000, in trust for twenty-five years for the education of worthy and deserving young men for the priesthood, on condition that they be native Americans, total abstainers and willing to devote their lives to the service of God in the diocese of Savannah. The trust has just expired.

ASSISTANT PRIOR.

Rev. Father J. P. Vailley has been appointed assistant prior at St. Louis Bertrand's church, coming here from Denver. Father Vailley is known to many of the older members of the Dominican parish, having served here as prior about twenty years ago.

APPROVE CARROLL TABLET.

A bronze tablet to be placed on the Carroll mansion, East Lombard street, Baltimore, by the Historical Committee of the Star Spangled Banner Centennial Celebration Commission has been approved by the Art Commission.

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"To a great extent our organization is judged by the MANNERS of its employees. Therefore we wish you to cultivate genuine courtesy and exercise patience and forbearance on all occasions.

"Those details of the service which the public have a right to know, while perfectly familiar to yourself, are often not understood by the men and women with whom you come in contact.

"You should never be too busy to furnish the public with proper information, nor to be courteous in manner as well as in words. In using the telephone it is especially easy to be gruff and abrupt and to turn friends into enemies.

"Courtesy and decent treatment are due fully as much to those of small financial means as to the largest prospective patron.

"The possession of a habit of cheerful courtesy, springing from an honest desire to please, is an invaluable asset to the person who would advance himself in popularity and material welfare. It is worth more than capital and at times takes precedence of ability.

"But all of your good manners and willingness to make agreeable the points of contact between company and patron

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"The men in the mechanical, and in some of the other departments, seldom or never meet the public in an official way. Their work lies in helping to back up our reputation with satisfactory ACTUAL PERFORMANCE.

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HIBERNIANS.

What They Have Been Doing the Past Week—General News Notes.

Division 1 will select their State convention alternates next Tuesday evening.

The Ladies' Auxiliary and two divisions of Pueblo, Col., are working hard for new members.

There will be no meeting of Division 3 Monday evening on account of the Social Club picnic.

The Ladies' Auxiliary will not be long in erecting their monument to the Sisters of the civil war.

Mrs. Ellen Ryan Jolly has been appointed a member of the Rhode Island Commission on Immigration.

Division 3 will hold their next meeting on Monday, August 24, to select delegates to the State convention.

About 400 delegates will attend the Massachusetts State convention of the Ladies' Auxiliary at Worcester.

The Ladies' Auxiliary at Concord, N. H., will conduct a booth at the garden party for St. John's church in that city.

The attendance at the Ladies' Auxiliary dance on Monday evening was kept down on account of the inclement weather.

Baltimore Hibernians will take an active part in the Star Spangled banner celebration and march in the fraternal day parade.

The meeting of the County Board to settle accounts of recent picnic has been delayed on account of the slowness of ticket returns.

California Hibernians will open their State convention with high mass in St. Mary's Cathedral, San Francisco, tomorrow morning.

National Director Miles F. McPartland was County President in New York for twenty-two years and President of Division 1 for a quarter of a century.

Before the opening of the California State convention in San Francisco there will be a parade of the Ancient Order, the Ladies Auxiliary and delegates and visitors.

St. Louis City Hibernians are arranging for a great celebration of "Our Lady Day in Harvest," August 15. They will make it a day of rejoicing over the passage of the home rule bill.

South Bend Hibernians will celebrate the passage of the home rule bill with a fall festival in October. They will also give the Irish volunteer movement their moral and financial support.

Speakers at the Irish day celebration of the Milwaukee Hibernians last Saturday were Gov. F. E. McGovern, T. M. Keane and Thomas Morris, each of whom is a candidate for United States Senator.

CHURCH PICNIC.

Rev. Father Rothaupt, pastor of St. Francis Assisi church on the Bardstown road, and his people will be prepared to welcome a large



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RIVERVIEW.

Almost at any time of the afternoon and evening Broadway and Greenwood avenue cars may be seen filled with people bound for Riverview Park to find enjoyment in the cooling breeze of the Ohio river and the amusement attractions offered by Manager Simons. Ladies and children in greater numbers than ever now visit Riverview, owing to the fact that here they receive special attention. Manager Simons' "Spotless Kitchen," with its melody and music combined, continues to provide eatables always right and perfectly served.

GOOD FERRY BILL.

There is a preponderance of comedy and a proper proportion of music in the vaudeville bill that Manager Higer promises for next week at Fontaine Ferry, when some new, novel and humorous songs and sketches, mostly of the laugh-provoking kind, will be presented. Natalie and his band are playing more popular numbers than ever before in the free open-air concerts, and the swimming pool provides enjoyment for ever increasing numbers. The Ferry theater and park are now at their zenith with lovers of outdoor amusement.

NOT MUCH PAY.

The average pay of chorus girls is \$450 for the season.

AMERICAN CHRONOLOGY.

Timely Record of Some Memorable Events in the Catholic History of America.

By James A. Rooney, LL. D.

August 17, 1838—Death at New York City of the famous Italian poet, Lorenzo Da Ponte, a converted Jew, who wrote the libretto for Mozart's Don Giovanni and Le Nozze di Figaro; professor of Italian literature in Columbia College; buried in old Catholic cemetery on Eleventh street, New York City.

August 18, 1874—Diocese of Sherbrooke, Province of Quebec, Canada, established with the Rev. Antoine Racine as first Bishop; consecrated October 18, 1874; died July 17, 1895.

August 19, 1834—The Rev. Frederic Wayrich, C. SS. R., eloquent Redemptorist missionary, born in Huttigweiler, diocese of Trier, Prussia, and baptized with King Frederic Wilhelm as his godfather; died of pneumonia in the forty-ninth year of his priesthood, March 7, 1907.

August 20, 1912—Father Johann Martin Schleyer, inventor of the artificial universal language Volapuk, died at Constance, Switzerland, aged seventy-four; first prospectus of Volapuk published in America in 1879.

August 21, 1842—French Catholic church of St. Vincent de Paul, New York City, dedicated by Bishop Hughes; the Rev. M. Deydied first pastor; enlarged in 1850; now at West Twenty-third street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

August 22, 1897—The Most Rev. Augustine Dottenwille, O. M. I., consecrated Bishop of Germanopolis; appointed Archbishop of Vancouver September 7, 1908; resigned September 21 and was appointed titular Archbishop of Ptolemais and chosen Superior General of the Oblates of Mary with residence in Rome.

JEFFERSONVILLE.

The death of Michael Fleming who resided with his mother, Mrs. Catherine Fleming, 512 Ohio avenue, Jeffersonville, is mourned by a host of friends who know him as a quiet and modest man of Christian character. Deceased was stricken with tuberculosis and had been ill a long time. His father, William Fleming, died several years ago. Besides his mother Mr. Fleming is survived by four sisters and two brothers: Mrs. J. Osterieg, of Covington; Mrs. Mary Nemo, Mrs. Paul Brinkman, Miss Anna Fleming, William Fleming and John Fleming, of Jeffersonville. Mr. Fleming was a member of St. Augustine's church, and the funeral was conducted from there Monday morning by the Rev. Michael Halpin.

CATHOLIC FIGURES.

Germany has 23,821,543 Catholics; France, 38,400,000; Italy, 35,900,000; Austro-Hungarian Empire, 33,300,000; Brazil, 21,000,000; Spain, 18,500,000; and Mexico, 13,990,000.

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